

LATE EDITORIAL.

At Saginaw, Michigan, a few days ago, Chief Justice John W. McGrath, of the Michigan supreme court, was nominated for re-election by acclamation by the Democratic State convention. A committee on resolutions, consisting of one member from each Congressional district, spent nearly two hours in discussing resolutions and finally decided to recommend a single resolution for their platform. It was a resolution declaring for the free coinage of silver at 16 to 1. The action of the Michigan Democrats was a timely one, following the earnest efforts of the national administration to commit the party to a gold standard, and their action will be followed by many other political conventions in the near future. As "leaf by leaf, the roses fall," so one by one will the aspirants for official preferment read the hand-writing on the wall and respond to the imperative demand of the hour. That there are a majority of the voting people of this country in favor of the free coinage or silver on equal terms with gold, but few will dispute; throwing down the gauntlet to the gold bugs and challenging them to take it up, will force the issue and hasten the restoration of the silver dollar to its old-time place of honor and confidence as a circulating medium. Bi-metallism is an actual, live, existing issue, and will not be side tracked by the croakings of the money kings and their retained hirelings, who are seeking to delude the common masses by an attempt to keep minor issues to the front. The courage of the Michigan Democrats is cause for congratulation among all the friends of the free coinage of silver.

The Utah constitutional convention which convened at Salt Lake city, on March 4th, have been in a squabble for several days over the election of a presiding officer and the seating of four gentlemen who claim to be members, but who are without credentials. The Republicans, it seems, have selected as president of the convention one of those whose seat is contested, and are therefore determined to keep their efforts to seat them, while on the other hand the Democrats have selected for the same position a member who has already taken the oath, and are just as determined that they shall not be allowed seats until that office is filled, claiming that the convention has no right to take a vote on such matters until its organization is completed. At the rate the convention is now working it is quite probable they will have framed a constitution by the time the present century expires.

Two U. S. Senators were recently elected in neighboring States on the last day of the legislative sessions after many weeks of balloting. They were McBride of Oregon, Shoup of Idaho, the former being considered doubtful on the silver question while the latter is said to be a strong friend of silver.

The bill which was introduced but defeated in the New York and other State Legislatures to institute a whipping post for wife beaters was a good one, and should have become a law. A man who will strike his wife should be tied to a post and whipped for two days.

OAKS MURPHY is now a full-fledged delegate to Congress. Let us all give Oaks show and just see what he can do. He'll have some pretty tall rustling to do to fill Mark Smith's shoes.

The appointment of William L. Wilson to the head of the best office department was a fitting recognition of the services and ability of an honest man.

Twenty-eight years ago today the French evacuated the Republic of Mexico upon the downfall of Maximilian.

Up and down the country.

Mining Notes.

Not the least among the many resources of the Gila valley which should commend it to the favorable consideration of those seeking new locations is the extensive mineral deposits found all along the base of the range of mountains on the north side of the Gila river, and embracing all the different minerals of greatest value in the arts and money metals. Heretofore the great distance to be transported by wagon has caused these deposits to be allowed to remain almost untouched, but now that transportation has been established within such easy distance, together with the disposition of the rail road company to encourage mining by affording low rates for freight, it is to be hoped that prospecting in earnest will be prosecuted and these mines developed. It is seldom, even when a railroad is built for the especial benefit of a particular mining camp, that the whole district is brought into such close proximity to it, as is the case in this instance. Even under all the disadvantages which have heretofore attended this district, several mines have been sunk to a very good depth and sufficiently to show clearly their great value, and these are the three minerals of greatest value, gold, silver and copper; the different mines reaching anything more than a mere prospecting depth one each of these minerals. The mines vary from fifty to over one hundred feet in depth, and in each instance the mineral has been found to increase both in quantity and quality.

Should the prospecting for coal now going on prove that coal exists in this locality then we will have here all the elements that ought to make a great mining camp, from which can be produced all the metals named, in largely paying quantities. There is no one thing of greater interest to the farming portion of the valley than these mines should they be opened and prove remunerative. No better market can be found for the produce of the farmers than a prosperous mining camp, and no industry can be established which will stimulate more rapidly the energies of the people than such a camp.

One taken from the ten foot ledge of Jennings & Kirtland goes 68 per cent lead, 21 ounces in silver, and \$4.00 in gold. Gee whizz! but that sounds nice.

What is the matter with incorporating a company and erecting a smelter on the river banks. There are plenty of men interested in mining across the river, that were a move made in this direction we predict no difficulty in securing the necessary funds.

With a great big wagon loaded with tents, blacksmith tools, blow pipes and a full supply of eatables, Mr. Wm. Kirtland and family and Mr. Harry Grey started across the river for the mines owned by Jennings & Kirtland, in the Lone Star district. Mr. Kirtland and Mr. Grey will put in about a month in development work. We wish them all success.

Returns from an assay made by Wm. Asey, of Thatcher, shows that O. A. Sutherland and prospector Crawford has struck it rich. One piece of ore taken from a four foot ledge shows \$68.27 in gold.

Miss Belle Neese, of Solomonville is afflicted with a very sore felon on the index finger of her left hand. The palm of the hand is also very sore, caused by a scratch made by a rusty nail.

Dr. M. E. Brenner, dentist will go to Duncan on March 18th, where he will remain for a few days, after which he will go to Globe.

The conviction of Harry Hayward at Minneapolis, Minn., for the murder of Miss Gine, after a most stubborn fight of weeks of perplexities is generally regarded as the righteous triumph of justice over the machinations of council and the hideous perjury of witnesses. Hayward bet ten dollars on his own acquittal but lost.

The actual residents of Township Six, across the river from Solomonville are moving, through County Surveyor Logan, to have the public system of surveys extended over that township so that they may obtain patents to their homes.

NOTICE.

U. S. LAND OFFICE, Tucson, A. T., March 9th, 1895.

Notice is hereby given that the approved plats of such lands in Tp 4, S of R 22 E. Tp 4, S of R 23 E. and Tp 5, S of R 23 E., as are comprised within the former Camp Thomas military reservation, (said reservation being abandoned,) within the Gila land district and territory of Arizona, has been returned by the Surveyor General of said territory into this office. These plats will be officially in the Land Office in Tucson, Arizona, on the 15th day of March, 1895. On and after the 15th day of March, 1895, the plats will be prepared only of

COMMENTS.

WHAT THE TERRITORIAL PRESS SAYS OF THE GUARDIAN.

A Friendly Greeting Given Us After Our Appearance.

THE Graham County GUARDIAN that was to be, now is, and we hope forever will be. It is a good looking paper full of news, well edited and typographically neat. What is better yet it has a good run of advertising that promises to make the life of the management smile like an apple tree in bloom when collection day comes around. The Citizen wishes the new venture success.—Citizen.

The Graham GUARDIAN made its first appearance last week. John J. Birdno of Thatcher is editor and H. B. Fox manager of the job department. Graham county was the only county in the territory where only one newspaper existed and the Bulletin has expected a new paper in here for two or three years past. The GUARDIAN is very neat in appearance and its first issue was quite newsy.—Bulletin.

Newspapers are bobbing up over Arizona like the traditional June bug. Vol. 1, No. 1 of the GRAHAM GUARDIAN is the latest published at the town of Safford, Arizona, on the new Gila Valley, Globe & Northern rail road. The GUARDIAN is an elegant 7 column paper, but the dollar on the head is not up to date.—Yuma Times.

Oh no, brother: The silver dollar and the law for its coinage as was before demonetization in 1873 is the gospel of the GUARDIAN and it is the demand of the hour. Get off the track or you'll get run over.

In a letter from Guy W. Rollins of the firm of Rollins Bros. of Pima, in which he had inclosed the price of a subscription of the GUARDIAN, he says he is at Graham, Socorro Co., N. M., working for a mining company at that place.

Prof. Hill, of Iowa, lectured in the M. E. Church on Wednesday evening to a large audience in the interest of the Good Temperance. At the close of the meeting about 20 persons signed the temperance Pledge. Mr. Hill lectured again last night in the same place, when the business of organizing was completed.

Instruments filed for Record for the Week Official Bond, C. R. Jennings. Butcher report, Arizona Copper Company.

Brand, Arfman & Gillespie. Brand, James P. Gillespie. Brand, Rosalie Haines.

Location notice, B. F. Gish. Mortgage to real estate, David W. Cluff to Marion Gills.

Warranty deed, J. E. Welker to Warren Nulton.

Warranty deed, Dan H. Ming to N. P. Beebe.

Location notice, L. Chlarson, W. C. Hoyt and W. H. Allesman.

Writ of attachment, John D. Dowdie vs Adams, Proctor & Co.

Brand, Jennison & Williamson. Mortgage real estate, Jose Perea to David Coffman.

Mortgage real estate, J. H. Vaughn and Ed. Foster to John Blake.

Deed real estate, N. P. Beebe and wife to G. B. Fox and A. C. Laird.

Deed to real estate, D. N. Osborne & Co. to N. P. Beebe.

Location notice, John Crawford and Harry Peehan.

U. S. Patent, to James H. Thompson.

Two Location Notices, John Bartotti & Ignacio Campbell.

OUR CLUB LIST.

We are in receipt of numerous letters from large weekly publications throughout the United States offering us club rates in connection with the GUARDIAN.

Among those received we have selected those, which in our judgment, will prove most satisfactory to the readers.

All subscriptions to the GUARDIAN, where another paper is required, must be accompanied with the CASH, in order to secure its prompt delivery.

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J. G. Allred, Merchandise.
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Sam Watson, Stage Line.
W. B. Fonda, Justice of the Peace.
W. E. Jones, Attorney.
McGinty & Whitewings, Saloon.
E. C. Raber, Jeweler.
T. T. Hunter, Merchandise.
Reaves & Parks, Saloon.
W. D. Jefferson, Italian Bees.
G. B. McCarty, Contractor.
J. M. McCollum, Attorney.
F. L. B. Goodwin, Attorney.
D. H. Ming, Merchandise.
W. J. Parks, Real Estate.
M. J. Egan, Attorney.
N. P. Beebe, Reapers, etc.
Fonda & Patton, Merchandise.
Barnabe Palm, Saloon.
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S. N. Enstrom, Boots and Shoes.
E. M. Curtis, Tinsmith.
H. O. Chlarson, Merchandise.
Chris. Madson, Livery Stable.
P. J. Jacobson, Lumber.
Zundel & Fish, Merchandise.
H. N. Chlarson, Lumber.
Nat Wansley, Saloon.
Geo. A. Olney, Blacksmithing.
A. Frye, Merchandise.
D. M. Green, Painter.

Notice to Creditors.

In the Probate Court, of the County of Graham, Territory of Arizona.

In the Matter of the Estate of William C. Cluff, deceased.

It is hereby ordered that notice be given to James Cluff, Administrator of the estate of William C. Cluff, deceased, by publication for four weeks in the Graham County Guardian, a newspaper published in said Graham County, to the creditors of and persons having claims against said deceased, to present them to said James Cluff, Administrator, at Central, Arizona, with the proper vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice.

GEORGE CLUFF, Probate Judge.

Dated March 11th, 1895. 3-16-41

Notice to Creditors.

In the Probate Court, of the County of Graham, Territory of Arizona.

In the Matter of the Estate of John S. Green, deceased.

It is hereby ordered that notice be given by Rhoda P. Green, Administratrix of the estate of John S. Green, deceased, by publication for four weeks in the Graham County Guardian, a newspaper published in said Graham County, to the creditors of and persons having claims against said deceased, to present them to said Rhoda P. Green, Administratrix, with the proper vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice, at Pima, Arizona.

GEORGE CLUFF, Probate Judge.

Dated at my office Mar 9, 1895. 3-9-41

Notice to Creditors.

In the Probate Court, of the County of Graham, Territory of Arizona.

In the Matter of the Estate of Dominick Sartoris, deceased.

It is hereby ordered that notice be given by Gabriel Bigando and Catharina Bigando, Executors of the estate of Dominick Sartoris, deceased, by publication for four weeks in the Graham County Guardian, a newspaper published in said Graham County, to the creditors of and persons having claims against said deceased, to present them to said Gabriel Bigando and Catharina Bigando, Executors, with the proper vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice, at Morenci, Arizona.

GEORGE CLUFF, Probate Judge.

Dated at my office February 28, 1895. 3-9-41

Notice to Creditors.

In the Probate Court, of the County of Graham, Territory of Arizona.

In the Matter of the Estate of Ole Olson, deceased.

It is hereby ordered that notice be given by William Thaden, Administrator of the estate of Ole Olson, deceased, by publication for four weeks in the Graham County Guardian, a newspaper published in said Graham County, to the creditors of and persons having claims against said deceased, to present them to said William Thaden, Administrator, with the proper vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice, at Bonita, Arizona.

GEORGE CLUFF, Probate Judge.

Dated at my office February 28th, 1895. 3-9-41

Summons.

In the District Court of the Second Judicial District of the Territory of Arizona, in and for the County of Graham,

JENNIE B. GATLIFF, Plaintiff,

vs. CHARLES W. GATLIFF, Defendant.

Action brought in the District Court of the Second Judicial District of the Territory of Arizona, in and for the County of Graham, "For Decree of Divorce and the Custody of the minor children."

The Territory of Arizona sends greeting to Charles W. Gatliff.

You are hereby summoned and required to appear in an action brought against you by the above named plaintiff and answer the complaint filed with the clerk of the above entitled Court at Solomonville, in the County of Graham, Territory of Arizona, within ten days (exclusive of the day of service), after this service upon you of this summons if served in this county, but if served out of the county, then within thirty days, then within twenty days, in all other cases within thirty days.

You are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer the complaint as required by law, judgment by default will be taken against you as prayed for in the plaintiff's complaint filed herein, and for costs and disbursements in this behalf expended.

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